

# City of Surrey PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT REPORT File: 7917-0424-00

Planning Report Date: December 18, 2017

#### PROPOSAL:

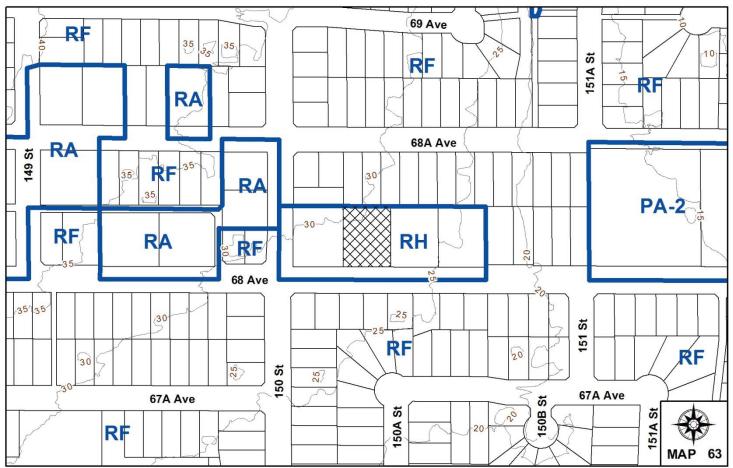
Rezoning from RH to RF

to allow subdivision into two (2) single family lots.

LOCATION: 15039 - 68 Avenue

ZONING: RH
OCP DESIGNATION: Urban

NCP DESIGNATION: Urban Single Family Residential



### **RECOMMENDATION SUMMARY**

• By-law Introduction and set date for Public Hearing for Rezoning.

# **DEVIATION FROM PLANS, POLICIES OR REGULATIONS**

None.

# **RATIONALE OF RECOMMENDATION**

- Complies with the OCP and the East Newton South NCP land use designations.
- The proposed density and building form are appropriate for this part of Newton, and is in keeping with the existing subdivisions in the area.
- The neighbours to the east and west of the subject site have similar subdivision potential.

### RECOMMENDATION

The Planning & Development Department recommends that:

a By-law be introduced to rezone the subject site from "Half-Acre Residential Zone (RH)" to "Single Family Residential Zone (RF)" and a date be set for Public Hearing.

- 2. Council instruct staff to resolve the following issues prior to final adoption:
  - (a) ensure that all engineering requirements and issues including restrictive covenants, dedications, and rights-of-way where necessary, are addressed to the satisfaction of the General Manager, Engineering;
  - (b) submission of a subdivision layout to the satisfaction of the Approving Officer;
  - (c) submission of a finalized tree survey and a statement regarding tree preservation to the satisfaction of the City Landscape Architect;
  - (d) demolition of existing buildings and structures to the satisfaction of the Planning and Development Department; and
  - (e) the applicant satisfy the deficiency in tree replacement on the site, to the satisfaction of the Planning and Development Department.

### **REFERRALS**

Engineering: The Engineering Department has no objection to the project

subject to the completion of Engineering servicing requirements as

outlined in Appendix III.

School District: **Projected number of students from this development:** 

1 student at T.E. Scott Elementary School

(Appendix IV)

The applicant has advised that the dwelling units in this project are expected to be constructed and ready for occupancy by Spring 2019.

Parks, Recreation & Culture:

Parks Department has no requirements for the subject project.

### **SITE CHARACTERISTICS**

Existing Land Use: Single family dwelling.

### **Adjacent Area:**

Direction	<b>Existing Use</b>	OCP/NCP	<b>Existing Zone</b>
		Designation	
North:	Single family	Urban / Urban	RF
	dwellings.	Single Family	
		Residential	
East:	Single family	Urban / Urban	RH
	dwelling.	Single Family	
		Residential	
South (Across 68 Avenue):	Single family	Urban / Urban	RF
	dwellings.	Single Family	
		Residential	
West:	Single family	Urban / Urban	RH
	dwelling.	Single Family	
		Residential	

#### **DEVELOPMENT CONSIDERATIONS**

# **Background**

- The subject site is designated "Urban" in the Official Community Plan (OCP), "Urban Single Family Residential" in the East Newton South Neighbourhood Concept Plan (NCP), and zoned "Half-Acre Residential Zone (RH)".
- The subject property is approximately 1,858 square metres (19,995 sq. ft.) in area and is located mid-block on the north side of 68 Avenue between 150 Street and 152 Street.
- The subject property is in a row of four RH zoned properties along this block. However, the surrounding neighbourhood are predominantly zoned RF.

### Current Proposal

- The applicant is proposing to rezone the subject property from "Half-Acre Residential Zone (RH)" to "Single Family Residential Zone (RF)" in order to allow subdivision into two (2) single family lots.
- The proposed RF zoned lots are consistent with the "Urban" designation in the Official Community Plan (OCP) and the "Urban Single Family Residential" designation in the East Newton South Neighbourhood Concept Plan (NCP).
- The proposed lots are 19.1 metres (63 ft.) wide, 46.8 metres (154 ft.) deep, and are approximately 891 square metres (9,590 sq. ft.) in area. At these dimensions, the lots meet the minimum lot width, depth, and area requirements of the RF Zone.

• The existing dwelling is proposed to be retained. The applicant has provided a survey certificate that shows the existing buildings comply with the RF Zone requirements.

# **Building Design Guidelines and Lot Grading**

- The applicant for the subject site has retained Ran Chahal of Apex Design Group Inc. as the Design Consultant. The Design Consultant conducted a character study of the surrounding homes and proposed a set of building design guidelines based on the findings of the study (Appendix V).
- There are no specific interface treatments required. "New-Traditional", "Neo-Heritage", "Rural Heritage", and "West Coast Modern" will be compatible with the existing homes in the study area.
- A preliminary lot grading plan was submitted by Hub Engineering Inc. The information has been reviewed by staff and found to be generally acceptable. Based on the preliminary lot grading plan, in-ground basements are proposed on these lots.

# **PRE-NOTIFICATION**

Pre-notification letters were sent to surrounding property owners on October 10, 2017 and a Development Proposal Sign was installed on October 20, 2017. To date, staff have not received any correspondence or calls regarding this application.

### **TREES**

• Cody Laschowski, ISA Certified Arborist of Diamond Head Consulting Ltd. prepared an Arborist Assessment for the subject property. The table below provides a summary of the tree retention and removal by tree species:

Table 1: Summary of Tree Preservation by Tree Species:

Tree Species	Exis	ting	Remove	Retain
Deciduous Trees				
Locust	]	3	3	0
Coniferous Trees				
Western Red Cedar	1		1	0
Total	4	ŀ	4	0
Total Retained and Replaceme Trees	ent		6	
Contribution to the Green City	<b>Fund</b>	.d \$800		

• The Arborist Assessment states that there are a total of four (4) protected trees on the site. It was determined that no trees can be retained as part of this development proposal. The proposed tree retention was assessed taking into consideration the location of services, building footprints, road dedication and proposed lot grading.

- For those trees that cannot be retained a 2 to 1 replacement ratio is required. This will require a total of eight (8) replacement trees on the site. Since only six (6) replacement trees can be accommodated on the site (based on an average of [3] trees per lot), the deficit of two (2) replacement trees will require a cash-in-lieu payment of \$800, representing \$400 per tree, to the Green City Fund, in accordance with the City's Tree Protection By-law.
- In summary, a total of 6 trees are currently proposed to be retained or replaced by the Arborist on the site with a contribution of \$800 to the Green City Fund.

# **INFORMATION ATTACHED TO THIS REPORT**

The following information is attached to this Report:

Appendix I. Lot Owners and Action Summary (Confidential) and Project Data Sheets

Appendix II. Proposed Subdivision Layout

Appendix III. Engineering Summary
Appendix IV. School District Comments

Appendix V. Building Design Guidelines Summary

Appendix VI. Summary of Tree Survey and Tree Preservation

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Jean Lamontagne General Manager Planning and Development

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# APPENDIX I HAS BEEN

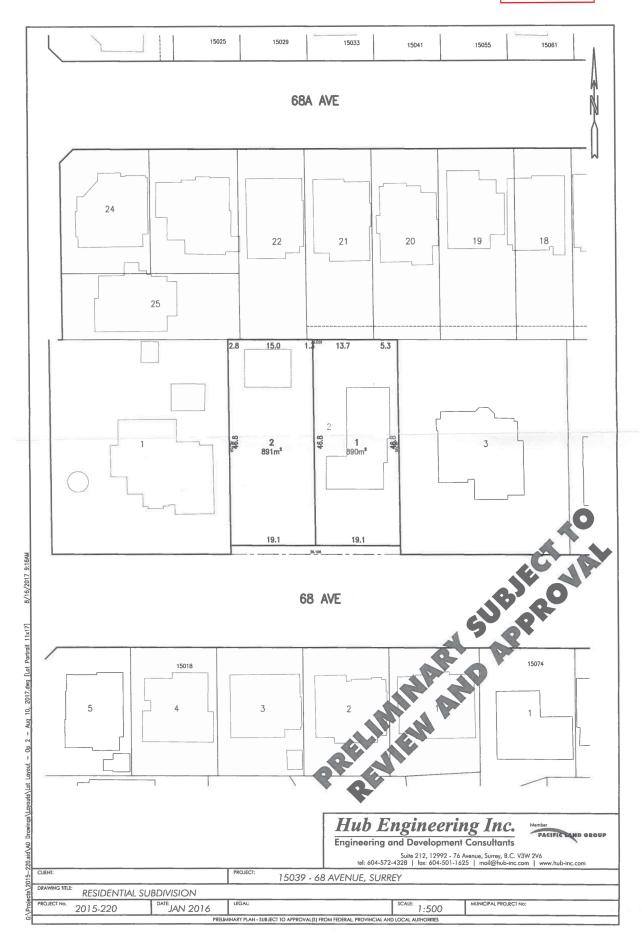
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**CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION** 

# **SUBDIVISION DATA SHEET**

**Proposed Zoning: RF** 

Requires Project Data	Proposed
GROSS SITE AREA	•
Acres	0.47
Hectares	0.19
NUMBER OF LOTS	
Existing	1
Proposed	2
SIZE OF LOTS	
Range of lot widths (metres)	19.4 metres (64 ft.)
Range of lot areas (square metres)	891 square metres (9,590 sq. ft.)
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DENSITY	
Lots/Hectare & Lots/Acre (Gross)	10.5 uph / 4.3 upa
Lots/Hectare & Lots/Acre (Net)	11.1 uph / 4.5 upa
SITE COVERAGE (in % of gross site area)	
Maximum Coverage of Principal &	33%
Accessory Building	
Estimated Road, Lane & Driveway Coverage	25%
Total Site Coverage	58%
PARKLAND	
Area (square metres)	N/A
% of Gross Site	N/A
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	Required
PARKLAND	-
5% money in lieu	NO
TREE SURVEY/ASSESSMENT	YES
MODEL BUILDING SCHEME	YES
HERITAGE SITE Retention	NO
TIERITAGE SITE Retelltion	140
FRASER HEALTH Approval	NO
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DEV. VARIANCE PERMIT required	
Road Length/Standards	NO
Works and Services	NO
Building Retention	NO
Others	NO







# INTER-OFFICE MEMO

TO:

Manager, Area Planning & Development

- South Surrey Division

**Planning and Development Department** 

FROM:

**Development Services Manager, Engineering Department** 

DATE:

Dec 13, 2017

PROJECT FILE:

7817-0424-00

RE:

Engineering Requirements Location: 15039 68 Ave

**REZONE/SUBDIVISION** 

# Property and Right-of-Way Requirements

- dedicate 1.942 m for the ultimate 12.0 m road allowance from centre line;
- register a 0.5 m statutory right-of-way (SRW) for inspection chamber and sidewalk maintenance

#### Works and Services

- construct north side of 68 Avenue to Collector Road cross section (SSD-R.2) with 1.8 m wide sidewalk along property line; street lighting; and street trees. Widen existing pavement by 2.2 m to create a parking pocket;
- construct 6.0 m wide letdowns; and
- construct water, sanitary, and storm service connections, complete with inspection chambers or water meters, to each lot.

A Servicing Agreement is required prior to Rezone and Subdivision.

Tommy Buchmann, P.Eng.

Development Engineer

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**Planning** 

### THE IMPACT ON SCHOOLS

APPLICATION #:

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#### SUMMARY

The proposed 2 single family lots are estimated to have the following impact on the following schools:

#### Projected # of students for this development:

Elementary Students:	1
Secondary Students:	0
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September 2019 Enrolment/School Capacity

#### T. E. Scott Elementary

Enrolment (K/1-7): 59 K + 489 Capacity (K/1-7): 100 K + 375

#### Frank Hurt Secondary

 Enrolment (8-12):
 1258

 Nominal Capacity (8-12):
 1250

 Maximum Operating Capacity\*(8-12);
 1350

#### School Enrolment Projections and Planning Update:

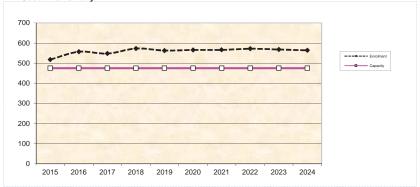
The following tables illustrate the enrolment projections (with current/approved ministry capacity) for the elementary and secondary schools serving the proposed development.

In 2012 a 200 capacity addition was added to T E. Scott. As of September 2017, there are 3 portables onsite used as enrolling spaces. Th school current capacity is 475.

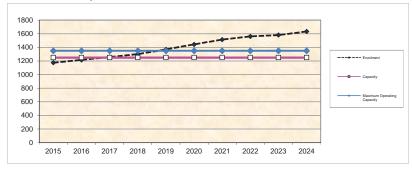
There is currently no future additions in the 2018/2019 Capital Plan planned for T. E. Scott.

As of September 2017, Frank Hurt Secondary is at capacity. The school is projected to grow by 400 students over the next 10 years. As part of the District's 2018/19 Capital Plan, the District is requesting a 400 capacity addition which is targetted to be open in 2022/23.

#### T. E. Scott Elementary



#### Frank Hurt Secondary



<sup>\*</sup> Nominal Capacity is estimated by multiplying the number of enrolling spaces by 25 students.. Maximum operating capacity is estimated by multipying the number of enrolling spaces by 27 students.

### **BUILDING GUIDELINES SUMMARY**

V.1.0

Surrey Project no.: 17-0424 (Karm Gill)

Property Location: 15039- 68 Avenue, Surrey, B.C

**Design Consultant:** Apex Design Group Inc.

Ran Chahal, Architectural Technologist AIBC, CRD

#157- 8120 -128 Street, Surrey, BC V3W 1R1 Off: 604-543-8281 Fax: 604-543-8248

The draft Building Scheme proposed for this Project has been files with the City Clerk. The following is a summary of the Residential Character Study and the Design Guidelines, which highlight the important features and form the basis of the draft Building Scheme.

#### 1. Residential Character

# 1.1 General Description of the Existing and/or Emerging Residential Character of the Subject Site:

The area surrounding the subject site is an urban area built out in the 1990's-2000. Most homes are simple "West Coast Traditional" style structures with habitable areas of between 2000-4000sf.

Most of the existing homes have mid to mid-massing characteristics with 65.00% of the homes having a one and one half storey front entry.

Roof pitch varies from economical low pitch of 4/12 to a medium pitch of 8-9/12 common truss roofs with simple gables and common hips with Asphalt Roof Shingles being most common.

Wall surface materials are limited in the most part to one of the following: Vinyl (dominant), Hardi & Stucco. Brick or Stone for an accent material. Accent trims are evident on most of the existing homes.

Landscaping is of a moderate planting standard with 88.00% of the homes having Exposed Aggregate driveways.

# 1.2 Prevailing Features of the Existing and Surrounding Dwellings Significant to the Proposed Building Scheme:

Most of the newer homes located in the study area have covered front verandas and would be encouraged to be constructed in any new home to be built in the future. Since the majority of the existing homes in the study area only 10-15 years old, a similar character will be maintained. The new homes will meet modern development standards especially with respect to overall massing and balance in each design and to proportional massing between individual elements. Trim and detailing standards and

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construction materials standards will meet 2000's levels. Continuity of character will be ensured through style and home type restrictions as described below.

**Dwelling Types/Locations:** "Two-Storey" 100.00%

"Basement /Cathedral Entry" 0.00%
"Rancher (Bungalow)" 0.00%
"Split Levels" 0.00%

**Dwelling Sizes/Locations:** Size range: 0.00% under 2000 sq.ft excl. garage

(Floor Area and Volume) 53.00% 2001 - 2500 sq.ft excl. garage

47.00% over 2501 sq.ft excl. garage

**Exterior Treatment** Vinyl: 47.00% Hardi: 35.00% Stucco: 18.00% /Materials: Brick or stone accent on 100.00% of all homes

Roof Pitch and Materials: Asphalt Shingles: 35.00% Cedar Shingles: 29.00%

Concrete Tiles: 24.00% Tar & Gravel: 0.00% 29.00% of homes have a roof pitch of 4-6:12 and 71.00% have a roof pitch of 8:12 to 9:12 and greater.

**Window/Door Details:** 82.00% of all homes have rectangular windows

Streetscape: A variety of simple "Two Story", 10-15 year old "West Coast Traditional"

homes in a common urban setting. Roofs on most homes are simple low pitch common hip or common gable forms with Asphalt Roof Shingles is on most of the homes. Most homes are clad in Vinyl, Hardi and Stucco.

**Elements:** covered front verandas.

# 2. Proposed Design Guidelines

# 2.1 Specific Residential Character and Design Elements these Guidelines Attempt to Preserve and/or Create:

The guidelines will ensure that the existing character of the homes are maintained with modestly sized Two-Storey, Bungalow and Split Level type homes are constructed to 2000's standard. Continuity of character will be achieved with restrictions permitting the use of compatible styles, roof forms and exterior construction materials. Landscapes will be constructed to a modern urban standard.

# 2.2 Proposed Design Solutions:

Dwelling Types:Two-Storey, Split Levels and Ranchers (Bungalows).Dwelling Sizes:Two-Storey or Split Levels -2000 sq.ft. minimumFloor Area/Volume:Basement Entry-2000 sq.ft. minimum

Rancher or Bungalow - 1400 sq.ft. minimum

(Exclusive of garage or in-ground basement)

Exterior Treatment /Materials:

No specific interface treatment. However, all permitted

styles including: "Neo-Traditional", "Neo-Heritage",

"Rural-Heritage" or "West Coast Modern" will be compatible

with the existing study area homes.

Exterior Materials /Colours:

Stucco, Cedar, Vinyl, Hardiplank, Brick and Stone in "Neutral" and "Natural" colours. "Primary" and "Warm" colours not permitted on cladding. Trim colours: Shade variation on main colour, complementary, neutral or

subdued contrast.

**Roof Pitch:** Minimum 6:12

Roof Materials/Colours: Cedar shingles, Concrete roof tiles in a shake profile and

asphalt shingles in a shake profile. Grey or brown only.

Window/Door Details: Dominant: Rectangular or Gently arched windows.

**In-ground basements:** Permitted if servicing allows.

**Landscaping:** Trees as specified on Tree Replacement Plan plus min. 12

shrubs (min. 3 gallon pot size).

Compliance Deposit: \$5,000.00

Summary prepared and submitted by:

Ran Chahal, Design Consultant

Architectural Technologist AIBC, CRD

Apex Design Group Inc.

December 12, 2017

Date

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Table 4. Tree Preservation Summary.

# TREE PRESERVATION SUMMARY

Surrey Project No:

15039 68<sup>th</sup> Ave, Surrey, BC

Address:

Registered Arborist:

Cody Laschowski

ISA Certified Arborist (PN7870A) Certified Tree Risk Assessor (TRAQ)

On-Site Trees	Number of Trees
Protected Trees Identified  (on-site and shared trees, including trees within boulevards and proposed streets and lanes, but excluding trees in proposed open space or riparian areas)	4
Protected Trees to be Removed	4
Protected Trees to be Retained (excluding trees within proposed open space or riparian areas)	0
Total Replacement Trees Required:  - Alder & Cottonwood Trees Requiring 1 to 1 Replacement Ratio	8
Replacement Trees Proposed	6
Replacement Trees in Deficit	2
Protected Trees to be Retained in Proposed [Open Space / Riparian Areas]	
Off-Site Trees	Number of Trees
Protected Off-Site Trees to be Removed	
Total Replacement Trees Required:  - Alder & Cottonwood Trees Requiring 1 to 1 Replacement Ratio  X one (1) = 0  - All other Trees Requiring 2 to 1 Replacement Ratio  X two (2) = 0	0
Replacement Trees Proposed	
Replacement Trees in Deficit	0

Summary prepared and submitted by:	Cody Laschowski	log	June 27th, 2017
	Arborist	,	Date